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Amendment to Specification

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 9, line 4, to read as follows:

For tooling hexagonal cubes, an alternative to the "pin cluster" manufacturing technique is shown in Applied Optics, Vol. 20, No. 6, p. 1268, 15 April 1981 Applied Optics, vol. 20, no. 8, April 15, 1981, pages 296-298. It is there stated that one way to achieve hexagonal cube corners is to accurately machine and polish grooves in the edge surfaces of a stack of flat plates and to assemble the plates at a desired angle. The reference shows a photograph of several flat plates with grooves cut in one edge, stacked one atop the other and with adjacent plates shifted with respect to one another so that the grooves are offset. The tilted stack of plates so assembled results in a set of hexagonal cubes which may be used as a master for electroforming molds. However, this technique was disclosed decades earlier by applicants' assignee's founder and was stated to be an unsatisfactory technique for tooling retroreflectors, see U.S. 1,591,572 (FIG. 16, p. 5, ll. 44- 85-99).